



Immanuel 2024 Ministry Teams

Make disciples Share faith Serve others *Pray for these special servants of Christ*

Note: These lists include only those serving in formal "Ministry Teams." There are many more people who provide essential leadership in ongoing ministries including: Christian education, music, worship, special projects, mission outreach, task groups and more. We thank God for all those in our church family who serve and lead.

ADMINISTRATIVE TEAMS

CHURCH COUNCIL ++

Church Council Leader:	Nancy Kinman	[‘25]
Senior Pastor:	Kelly McClendon •	
Lay Leader:	Craig Schwarting•	[‘25]
Children’s Ministry Rep	Brittany Foster★	[‘24]
Staff Support:	Kelly Potter^	
Adult Discipleship Team:	Gordon Suggs★	[‘24]
Staff Support:	Wesley Phillips	
Finance Team Leader:	Kevin Kelly	[‘25]
Missions / Evangelism Team:	Sue Hill	[‘24]
Staff Support:	Chad Brandt	
Youth Staff Support:	Jacob Booher	
Staff Parish Relations Team Leader:	Sam Wood	[‘24]
Trustees Team Leader:	Beth Schneider	[‘25]
Women’s Ministry Team	Heather Lord	
Worship & Music:		
(Contemporary)	Tammy McCormick★	[‘24]
(Traditional)	Lois Gochoel★	[‘24]
Worship & Music Staff Support:	Joanne Brumm	
ISM Rep:	Emily Greenwood★	[‘24]
Youth Ministries Adult Leader:	Nate Huneycutt★	[‘24]
Youth Ministries Youth Leader:	Morgan O’Dwyer	[‘24]
Men’s Ministries	Robby Messmer★	[‘24]
Young Adult Rep	Teddy Gaeddert★	[‘24]
Executive Minister/Administrator:	Christopher Cate	
Secretary:	Jacob Booher	
Immanuel Boone Campus Pastor:	Chad Brandt	

[] = Class Year for rotation of leaders

★ = Annually approved positions

• = Note: The Lay Leader is a voting member of the Finance, Staff Relations, and Lay Leadership teams

• = The Senior Pastor is the Chief Admin Officer of Immanuel Church (including ministry centers / outreach) and is a voting member of each team

+ = Paid staff are non-voting members on some teams

= Formally elected by team at first meeting

= Lay Delegate to annual conference

^ = Staff Support person for Women’s Ministry

++ = The Church Council also operates the Lay Leadership/ Nominations team

FINANCE TEAM: Kevin Kelly (Team Leader)

Staff Support: Christopher Cate (Executive Minister/Administrator); Kelly McClendon (Senior Pastor)

2024

Kay Nagai (Roberts)
Jessica Remole
Marla Specht

2025

Jeanne Booher
Craig Cumberledge
Fred Greenwood

2026

Kevin Kelly
Paul Patton
Carol Thomas

Council Leader: Nancy Kinman; Lay delegate to MSC: Beth Schneider; Treasurer: Gene Archbold ['26]; Trustees Rep: Beth Schneider; Finance Secretary: Christopher Cate; Lay Leader/SPR: Sam Wood

Investment Committee (Sub-Committee of Finance Team)

Finance Team leader: Kevin Kelly; Trustees Team leader: Beth Schneider; Treasurer: Gene Archbold ['26]; Executive Minister/Administrator: Christopher Cate

TRUSTEES TEAM: Beth Schneider (Team Leader)

Staff Support: Christopher Cate (Executive Minister/Administrator); Kelly McClendon (Senior Pastor)

2024

Malinda Cornforth
R.B. Davis
Laura Straeffer

2025

Anna Jester
Charles Meyers
Beth Schneider

2026

Charles Roberts
Steve Sims
Craig Warman

STAFF PARISH RELATIONS (SPR) TEAM

Sam Wood, (Team Leader)

Staff Support: Kelly McClendon; Lay Leader: Craig Schwarting

2024

Henry Saas
Craig Schwarting
Andy Wagoner

2025

Nate Huneycutt
Pam Taylor
Tom Wonderly

2026

Lois Gochoel
Alissa Messmer
Sam Wood

★ Lay Delegate to Mid-South Annual Conference: Beth Schneider

Lay Delegates to 2024 Mid-South Annual Conference: 2024 TBD

1. Beth Schneider 2. Christopher Cate **Alternate Delegate:** _____

MINISTRY TEAMS

People are able to join ministry teams throughout the year by vote of the Church Council.

ADULT DISCIPLESHIP TEAM

Gordon Suggs (Team Leader) & Wesley Phillips (Staff Support)

Tom Cracchiolo
Betty Minor

Jennifer Meyers
Marty Roberts

Melody Simms
Gordon Suggs

IMMANUEL BOONE SITE LEADERSHIP TEAM

Chad Brandt (Boone Campus Pastor) & Kelly McClendon (Senior Pastor)

Malinda Cornforth
Correy Eimer
Sue Hill

Angela Jamison
Maurice Pugh
Jeff Rice

Andy Wagoner

MINISTRY TEAMS CONTINUED

Sanctuary Support Team

Jeanne Booher (Special Events and Christmas)
Jeanne Booher (Worship Coordinators)
Mike Edmunds (Tech Support)
Kathy Witherup (Communion/Altar)
Jeff Hoppe (Drama)
Ron Van Berkel (Sanctuary Lay Readers)
Gayle Stanek (Wedding Coordinator)

Wesley Hall Support Team

Tim Ferguson (Contemporary Worship Leader)
Jan Holloway (Visual Arts/Communication)
Samuel Stahl (Tech Support)

Immanuel School of Music Leadership Team

Christopher Cate (Executive Minister/Administrator)
Joanne Brumm (Interim Minister of Music)
Emily Greenwood (Church Council Rep)
Ellen Stephens (Interim Executive Director)
Julie Geiman (Education Director)
Michaela Hibbard (Registrar & Accounting)



Women's Ministry Team

Staff Support: Kelly Potter
Church Council Rep: Heather Lord
Lorie Ferguson
Kristan Getsy
Jackie Hodges
Megan Jackson
Carol Lawhorne
Holly McClendon
Grace Phillips
Beth Schneider
Marla Specht
Linda Vecchi



Men's Ministry Team

Staff Support: Wesley Phillips
Chad Brandt
Church Council Rep: Robby Messmer
Mark Burns
Correy Eimer
Ken Kramer
Mike Miller
Gary Palmer
Craig Schwarting
Sam Wood



Hospitality Leadership Team

Staff Support: Wesley Phillips
Parker Barbour
Rachelle Brandt
Malinda Cornforth
Craig Cumberledge
Deb Garey
Jeff Rice



Scholarship Team (Sub-Committee under Trustees Team)

Staff Support/Convener: Chad Brandt
Amy Baur
Jacob Booher
Christina Breeden
Joni White



Chapel Prayer Leadership Team

Staff Support: Wesley Phillips
Lorie Ferguson
Grace Phillips



Youth Ministries Youth Leadership Team

Staff Support: Jacob Booher
Church Council Rep: Morgan O'Dwyer
Levi Davis
Siena Jackson
Gracie Simms
Nina Smith

Youth Ministries Adult Leadership Team

Staff Support: Jacob Booher
Church Council Rep: Nate Huneycutt
Miranda Booher
Christina Breeden
Nancy Cumberledge
Tim Ferguson
Emily Greenwood
Cara Herrmann
Brandon Jackson
Eric Larson
Melissa Larson
Frank Lastarza
Mike Lord
Michelle O'Dwyer
Morgan O'Dwyer
Brandy Wahle
Susan Wintersheimer

Immanuel Kids Ministry Team

Staff Support: Kelly Potter
Lauren Taylor
Church Council Rep: Brittany Foster
Robyn Crouch
Anna Jester
Trina Klein
Alissa Messmer
Sara Moreton



**Sonshine Preschool Team
(Lakeside Park Campus)**

Teacher Rep Allison Kriege
Teacher Rep Kati Tomlinson
Teacher Rep Lara Stowers
Parent/Church Member Rep Holly McClendon
Parent/Church Member Rep Robyn Crouch
Parent/Church Member Rep Anna Jester
Parent Rep Normarys Perez-Linn

Staff Support

Director Dana Smith
Director of Children & Women Ministry Kelly Potter



**Kid's Day Out Preschool Team
(Boone Campus)**

Teacher Rep Lauren Taylor
Teacher Rep Karen Depenbrock
Church Rep Barbara Aaron
Parent/Church Rep Angela Jamison

Staff Support

Director Stacey Sanders
Director of Children & Women Ministry Kelly Potter

Missions / Evangelism Team

Staff Support: Chad Brandt
Church Council Rep: Sue Hill
Amy Baur
Mark Burns
Amy Gribbins
Danny Gribbins
Connie McGravey
Betty Minor
Kelly Rodamer
Chris Ryman
Ann Scheve
Katie Smith



This team also utilizes many people in mission task groups throughout the year, and all our other ministry teams are active in missions and evangelism as well.